

TEAM ILLINOIS
Team Illinois Leadership Call

Tuesday, December 7, 2010

10:00 -10:45

Meeting Notes

Attendance

Michele Bromberg	IDFPR/Nursing Coordinator for State of Illinois
Mary Anne Kelly	Metropolitan Chicago Healthcare Council
Mary Pat Olson	Metropolitan Chicago Healthcare Council
Nicole Dorr	Community Foundation of the Great River Bend
Kelly Goben	EDC BL / Normal
Brenda Jeffers	St John's Hosp
Janet Krejci	Mennonite School of Nursing at ISU
Mikal Sutton-Vereen	Springfield Chamber
Kathy Lively	ConnectSI
Susan O'Keefe	Metropolitan Chicago Healthcare Council
Linda Roberts	IDFPR/Illinois Center for Nursing
Julio Rodriguez	Illinois DCEO

Follow-up Items

Team Biographies - A copy of the team biographies was included in the meeting package. This is a follow-up from the October Statewide meeting. Team members are asked to send a copy of their biographies, by the end of year, to Susan O'Keefe at MCHC to be included in the list. The list will be posted on My Groups and hard copies will be provided at the next statewide meeting in February.

Updated 2011 Team Calendar . An updated 2011 Team Calendar was included in the package. Statewide meetings have been confirmed for February 22, 2011 and October 25, 2011, to be a PolyCom meeting sponsored at ConnectSI and MCHC. Both Springfield and ISU have Polycoms to use for meetings, however it was recommend that not more than three Polycoms are used per meeting. A test date will be set prior to the February meeting to ensure compatibility.

The June 28, 2011 statewide meeting will take place in Springfield where all are expected to gather. Janet Krejci offered to host the meeting at Illinois State University.

All statewide meetings will be scheduled from 10:00 am . 2:00 pm in 2011.

Common Program Initiatives

National Summit on Advancing Health through Nursing

Mary Pat Olson and Mikal Sutton-Vereen attended the National Summit on Advancing Health through Nursing in Washington DC on November 30 and December 1, 2010. Many

tired to access the meeting via video conference; however over 1000 signed-in in the morning, which resulted in a crashed broadcast by afternoon.

Mary Pat and Mikal provided a quick summary of the two day events. Over 500 people were in attendance. Participants were group by state/region. The Illinois/Indiana region had three tables reserved.

The focused of the meetings was the key recommendations from the Institute of Medicines (IOM) report that was released earlier. Much of the emphasis was placed on change and change management. Harvey V. Fineberg and Risa Lavizzo-Mourey were the first speakers of the day. They stressed that nursing needs to step into a strong role with health care reform to assist in gaining a leadership role. There needs to be more of an emphasis on interdisciplinary health care teams versus camps fighting against each other.

Also, there was a panel overview of the recommendations with a heavy tone of improving health care policy and reform.

The keynote speaker of the day was Donald M. Berwick. Both Mary Pat and Mikal were impressed with him. He was very passionate about what he was trying to do. He felt lucky to be involved in nursing and was impressed with time and energy that had gone into the study.

The second day continued the discussion on change and change management and moving forward with the key recommendations from the IOM report. States were encouraged to pick key areas to build on. Mary Pat thought much of this work has started in Illinois and Team Illinois should continue to focus on increasing the number of BSN degrees. Lifelong learning is important in the nursing profession. The recommendation is for 80% of RNs to have baccalaureate degrees and to double the number of PhDs. There should be seamless articulation and Team Illinois can build on what has already been started. Simulation was discussed but more in a sense of furthering degrees.

It was recommended in 2011 for the Team to look at how to bring groups together for collaboration and implementation and who should be at the table. Also, ~~What~~ should be done with the new nursing graduates?+ ~~Where~~ do the new graduates go?+ Other topics to consider are degrees such as doubling the amount of DNPs, lifelong learning, and mapping resources.

Mikal also attended a follow-up meeting for the PIN grant awardees. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation is going to help implement the IOM report by providing 41 past PIN recipients an opportunity to apply for an ~~Pin~~-Grant+RFP. Two grants will be offered, one for synergy and another for implementation of programs. One consideration is for Illinois to implement a StudentMax program statewide. The RFPs will be released in January.

Much of the information from the Summit is now available on the Web and Mary Pat will forward an e-mail to the group regarding access.

NCSBN TTP –

Michele Bromberg went over the NCSBN Transition To Practice study. Twenty-five hospitals are needed to participate in the statewide study. Each hospital needs to hire 10 new graduates in a specific timeline. Plus, there are other requirements listed as well. Currently, Illinois has nine possibly ten letters of intents from hospitals. According to the NCSBN the primary requirement is having 250 new graduates available in the state to participate in the study. Three states have already recruited 25 hospitals committing to hire a total of 250 new graduates.

Team Illinois members agreed to reach out to local area hospitals to participate.

Regional Updates

Limited time prevented most regional updates. Kathy Lively reported for Southern Illinois that the SIONI project is finishing up. They have hit a few speed bumps, but look forward to the end of the month when participants will be taking their state boards.

Wrap-Up & Assignments

Next Scheduled Meeting:

1. **Leadership:** January 25, 2010
2. **Statewide Meeting** – February 22, 2010
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